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THEATRE ROYAL.
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FOR ONE NIGHT ONLY,
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COME ONE COME ALL.
And witness our Refined and Amazing
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Come and See our CHICAGO BAND.
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CHAMPION DANCERS OF THE WORLD,
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COMIQUE, in his Latest Comic Songs.

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And
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Not Forgetting our
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GEO. WILLIAMSON,
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Hongkong, 19th January, 1895. 1295

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NOTICE.

STEAM FOR

SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, CO.
LOMBO, PONDICHERRY, MADRAS
AND CALCUTTA; ADEN,
SUEZ, PORT SAID; MEDITERANEAN
AND BLACK SEA PORTS;

ALEXANDRIA, MARSEILLE, LONDON, HAVRE, AND
BOURDEAUX.

ALSO
PORTS OF BRAZIL AND LA PLATA.

ON WEDNESDAY, the 6th February,
1895, at NOON, the Company's Steamship
"NATAL," Commandant Verron, with Mail,
Passengers, Specie, and Cargo will leave this
Port for the above places.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for
London as well as for MARSEILLE, and accepted in
trust for delivery to MARSEILLE for the principal
places of Europe.

Shipping Orders will be granted till NOON,
Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M.,
Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M., on the 5th
February. (Parcels are not to be sent on board;
they must be left at the Agency's Office.)
Contents and Value of Packages are required.

For further Particulars apply at the
Company's Office.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,
Agent.

Hongkong, 21st January, 1895. 1224

"GLEN" LINE OF STEAMERS.

FROM ANTWERP, LONDON,
AND STREETS.

THE Steamship

"GLENNEAN"

having arrived from the above Ports, Consignments
of Cargo and Passengers will be received
and loaded at the Quay into the Gullane
of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and to
down Company, Kowloon, whence delivery may
be obtained.

Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice
to the contrary is given before 2 P.M.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the 30th
instant will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Consignments are requested to present all claims
for damage and/or shortages not later than the
6th February, otherwise they will not be recog-
nized.

Bill of Lading will be countersigned by
JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.,
Agents.

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NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE
COMPANY, 100 Wall Street, New York,
Funds... Gold \$149,700,781.91
New Business for 1894... \$228,843,391.00
Surplus Undivided... \$ 17,053,630.18
Income... \$ 33,961,646.95
Insurance in Force... 261,922 Premium Income... \$79,156,078.00

BRITISH & FOREIGN LIFE INSURANCE
COMPANY, LTD., 100 Wall Street, New York,
Agents... H. G. DALBYMPLE & CO., Agents
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in HONG-KONG, 14th March, 1895. 1213

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NEW REPAIRING MACHINERY just arrived.

PIANOS REPAIRED equal to New, with Silver-Plated Wire, Metal and Inset Re-
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JOHN THURBURN,
Manager, Hongkong.

FOR THE BANQUE DE L'INDO-CHINE,
Hongkong Agency.

EMILE MAYE,
Manager.

Hongkong, 22nd January, 1895. 1223

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themed with dignity, "and I want to know nothing. Unless to add, I shall act like a gentleman and will speak to you like a man." "Good God!" he said. "I left the room almost without touching her hand; but showing all my indignation in a last look, I told her to know that at least she had not deceived me. I found my friend on board, and embraced him with an effusion that astonished him. Poor Pijo! An hour later I carried my secret far from Aden.

The other day I met Pijo and his wife on the boulevard. I was so much taken aback at the sight of her, that I left the two black people alone without touching the woman's ears. We all dined together, and naturally talked about Aden.

"By the way," said the consul, "you taxed our inaugurations for a week by your lucky find at Mouloud Ben Said. How did you find it?"

"Pardon, I can see now allowing it. I exchanged, gazing at the blushing Madame Pijo."

That did not prevent our own full account of the undiscovered coal pits of Aden from being read at the Academy of Sciences!—*Public Opinion*.

OLLA PODRIDA.

"Are you the waiter?" asked an overdressed woman of a guest at an evening party recently.

"No," replied the man, "I am not; are you the chambermaid?"

"That cat made an awful noise in the back garden last night."

"Yes, father, I suppose; that since he ate the cat he thinks he can sing."

"You are charged here," said the Judge, "with robbing twice this morning."

"I know it, your Honour; but it was the best I could do. Since I got the reumatism I can't vote more twice to save my life!"

Stranger (from More)—You don't mean to tell me that dressed gentleman is a rascal? "Oh, no! He's merely carrying home his Sunday paper."

A Parisian humorist of the Southern type recently held a cab, and after calling the driver's attention to the fact that it was exactly ten o'clock, set out on a lengthy peroration. After about three quarters of an hour he ordered the man to draw up before one of the pneumatic cars, which was out of order, the hands pointing to 945, and observed: "It is now 945, and I hired you at ten o'clock, you therefore owe me 30c. However, if you give me five francs, you may keep the rest for a drink."

The following advertisement taken from the columns of a London daily paper makes one wonder who was a dog:

Dogs.—A Young Lady takes them out daily walking; male and female attended to; terms from £2 to £3 a week, according to time required; reduction for several. Vora, &c.

"Er—about this coming prize-fight," said the reporter.

"Well?" asked the pugilist.

"Is it to be fought with bare months or telephone?"

Quoth the King of Corps: "No fangs should be plucked in my pocket; because

It wouldn't be right."

Should I turn in and fight,

I am here to provide the upstart."

Hungry Hitler.—Kept it dark, now; but I'm a reporter from the *Chicago Inter-Ocean* writing up a article on how it looks for a smash, an' dem' treats me poor! I'll write up ungrateful.

What her Congress done?" asked the rural stump-speaker in strident tones of indignation.

As he paused for a reply, a man with a big double bass voice answered: "It has done the American people."

Soul (soft-spoken).—In this where marriages are made?

St. Peter.—Certainly.

Soul.—And it is the only place?

St. Peter.—Of course.

Soul.—I suppose it is only natural to get married where there is no competition.

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

WEDNESDAY, 23rd January. CLOSING QUOTATIONS. EXCHANGE.

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NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES:

S.S. "DARNSMITH".
FROM BREMEN AND PORTS OF CALL.
THE above named Steamer having arrived,
Consignees of all Goods, excepting Opium,
Treasure, and Valuables, are being landed and
stored at their risk into the Godowns of the
Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown
Company, Limited, Kowloon, whence delivery
may be obtained.

Optimal Cargo will go on to Shanghai unless
notice to the contrary be given before NOON,
TUESDAY, 12th January.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods
have left the Godowns; and all Goods remaining
undelivered after the 25th instant will be
subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are
to be left in the Godowns, where they will be
examined on THURSDAY, the 24th inst., at 3 p.m.

All Claims must reach us before the 25th
instant, or they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance will be effected.

Hills of Lading will be countersigned by
MELCHERS & CO., Agents.

Hongkong, 18th January, 1895.

STEAMSHIP "ERNEST SIMONS."

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES.

NOTICE.

CONSIGNERS of Cargo from London, ex
S.S. North, from Havre ex S.S. North,
from Bordeaux ex S.S. PL. L'ERLIER L'AILLER. Fred
Mord and Verhoeff, in connection with above
Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods,
with the exception of Opium, Treasure, and
Valuables, are being landed and stored at
the Godowns of the Hongkong and
Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited,
Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained
immediately after landing.

Optimal Cargo will be forwarded on unless
intimation is received from the Consignee
before 11 A.M. TO DAY (MONDAY), the 21st inst.,
requesting it to be landed here.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the
Godown remaining undelivered after MONDAY,
the 25th inst., at Noon, will be subject to rent
and landing charges.

All Claims must be sent in to us on or before
MONDAY, the 25th inst., they will not be re-
cognized.

All Damaged Packages will be examined on
MONDAY, the 25th inst., at 3 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Agents.

Hongkong, 21st January, 1895.

THE PALATINE INSURANCE
COMPANY, LIMITED

OF MANCHESTER.

MODERATE RATES.

PROMPT SETTLEMENTS.

Hongkong, 2nd January, 1895.

THE OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL
STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS
TO JAPAN, THE UNITED
STATES.

MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH
AMERICA, AND EUROPE, VIA THE
OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND

ATLANTIC AND OTHER CONNECTING
STEAMERS.

VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN AND
HONOLULU.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG

GARIBOLDI (via Nagasaki),
Kobe, Inland Sea, Yo... SATURDAY, Jan. 26,
1895, at DAYLIGHT.

MESSINA (via Nagasaki),
NAPLES (LEGHORN),
GENOA: all MEDITERRANEAN,
ADRIATIC, LEVANTINE, and SOUTH
AMERICAN Ports up to CALAO. Taking
Cargo as through rates to PERSIA,
GULF and BAGDAD.

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